

The Honorable Mr. *Fergusson Blair*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled, "An Act to incorporate '*Les Sœurs de l'Assomption de la Sainte Vierge*,' of the Parish of *St. Gregoire*," reported that they had gone through the said Bill, and had directed him to report the same with an amendment, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive it.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and the said amendment was then read by the Clerk, as follows :

Page 1, line 35—Leave out "eight" and insert "five."

The said amendment being read a second time, and the question of concurrence put thereon, it was agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Proulx*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Archambault*, it was

Ordered, That the said amendment be engrossed, and the said Bill, as amended, read a third time presently.

The said Bill, as amended, was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill, as amended, shall pass ?

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill with an amendment, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. *Fergusson Blair*, from the Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, to whom was referred the Bill intituled, "An Act respecting the *Gaspé Bay* "Mining Company," reported that they had gone through the said Bill and had directed him to report the same with several amendments, which he was ready to submit whenever the House would be pleased to receive them.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and the said amendments being then twice read by the Clerk, and the question of concurrence put on each they were severally agreed to.

On motion of the Honorable Mr. *Flint*, seconded by the Honorable Mr. *Leonard*, it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time presently.

The said Bill was then read a third time accordingly.

The question was put whether this Bill shall pass.

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the Clerk do go down to the Legislative Assembly and acquaint that House that the Legislative Council have passed this Bill, to which they desire their concurrence.

The Honorable Mr. *Bureau*, from the Committee appointed to enquire into the reasons which induced the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* to raise, to an excessive amount, the dues on Farmers' horses and carts, and on their goods and products, and generally on merchandize brought across the River to the *Montreal* markets on the Steamers plying between *Longueuil* and the foot of the current; and also to ascertain what dues ought to be levied by the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* on the above-mentioned articles, so as not to injure the trade or the inhabitants to the south of the *St. Lawrence*, who have to pay the said dues, presented their Report.

Ordered, That it be received, and

The same was then read by the Clerk, as follows :

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL,
COMMITTEE ROOM,
5th September, 1865.

The Committee appointed to enquire into the reasons which induced the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* to raise to an excessive amount the dues on Farmers' horses and carts, and on their goods and products, and generally on merchandize brought across the river to the *Montreal* markets on the steamers plying between *Longueuil* and the foot of the current,—and also to ascertain what dues ought to be levied by the Harbour Commissioners of *Montreal* on the above-mentioned articles, so as not to injure the trade or